SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 846 By Kilby

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Shannon N. Brookman, 2006 Valedictorian of Jellico High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Shannon N. Brookman is one such exceptional student who was recently named Valedictorian of the 2006 graduating class at Jellico High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Shannon Brookman has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, Shannon Brookman has earned an exemplary 4.04 grade point average and is member of the German Club and the Academic Team; and

WHEREAS, a recognized leader among her peers, Shannon is President of the Beta Club, Vice-President of FCCLA, and a member of the Student Council; and

WHEREAS, a vital member of her community, she serves as a Junior School Board member for Campbell County and volunteers at Woodland Community Land Trust; and

WHEREAS, no stranger to awards and accolades, Shannon Brookman won first place in the Regional FCCLA Stars event competition; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Brookman's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success; and

WHEREAS, Shannon's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, Tom and Tonia Brookman, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Shannon Brookman's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor the 2006 Jellico High School Valedictorian, Shannon N. Brookman, on her impressive academic achievement and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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